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EXPLANATORY NOTES:





WILLIAM G. MILLIKEN, Governor

MAURICE S. REIZEN, M.D., Director

STATE OF MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

3500 N. LOGAN, P.O. BOX 30035, LANSING, MICHIGAN 48909

September 8, 1977

Mr. Joseph F. Harrison, Chief Water Supply Branch U. S. Environmental Protection Agency Region V 230 South Dearborn Street Chicago, Illinois 60604

Dear Joe:

During our telephone discussion on Tuesday, August 30, 1977, you indicated that Washington EPA still has some concerns about Michigan's administrative rules relating to variances and exemptions. Of particular concern, as you pointed out, is the rule on the top of Page 8 of Part 5 of the proposed rules entitled, "Duration of exemptions, requests for reissuance".

In correspondence to you dated August 25, 1977, we indicated that no exemptions issued by this Department would be in conflict with the provisions of the interim or revised Federal regulations. However, we agree to modify the proposed rules in accordance with Mr. Larsen's concern relating to our proposed rule which establishes a fixed term for exemptions not to exceed five years, and which provides for the extension of an exemption through reissuance by the Department of Public Health.

Accordingly, we propose to add the following sentence to the rule on Page 8 of Part 5 of the proposed rules entitled, "Duration of exemptions, requests for reissuance":

"Exemptions issued by the Department pursuant to this part shall not be inconsistant in any manner with the provisions of the Federal Act."

You will note in Part 2 of the rules ("Definitions") that "Federal Act" is defined to include U. S. Public Law 93-523 and applicable EPA regulations adopted pursuant to that Act.

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Although we have proposed to amend the proposed rules in this manner, we still question the need for insertion of this additional provision. This is based upon the fact that Section 20 of Act 399, P.A. 1976, (Michigan's "Safe Drinking Water Act") states, "The Department may authorize variances or exemptions from the State drinking water standards in accordance with Public Law 93-523 (1974) and the Federal rules and regulations." (emphasis supplied)

We trust that the inclusion of this language will satisfy the concerns expressed by the Washington Office of U. S. EPA about Michigan's rules. I wish to reiterate to you that final changes to the proposed rules will be made following the public hearings which are scheduled for September 13, 14, and 15, 1977. Therefore, it is imperative that we receive all comments that EPA may have concerning the rules immediately following those public hearings. You are aware that the Michigan rule making process is extremely time consuming, and any rules which are requested or required by EPA after the final date of adoption of our proposed rules will be extremely difficult, if not impossible, to incorporate.

If you have further questions or concerns, please call them to my attention as soon as possible.

Very truly yours,

William A. Kelley, P.E., Chief Division of Water Supply Bureau of Environmental and Occupational Health

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By: Wayne H. Verspoor, Deputy Division Chief for Administration and Management

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cc: William A. Kelley
John E. Vogt
Tom Larsen, U. S. EPA, Washington



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August 25, 1977

Mr. Joseph F. Harrison, Chief Water Supply Branch U. S. Environmental Protection Agency Region V 230 South Dearborn Street Chicago, Illinois 60604

Dear Joe:

I am in receipt of your letter of August 17, 1977, in which you request clarification of portions of our proposed rules which you identify as "areas of concern." I will attempt to provide you with more information on these three rules in the order in which you addressed them in your letter. My responses will be based on the latest draft of the proposed rules dated August 15, 1977, a copy of which is attached.

- We recognize that the federal regulations provide that, in the case of exemptions, compliance with the interim regulations must be achieved by January 1, 1981. In order to develop a general policy in our rules however, we have included a general provision stating that an exemption granted by the director shall have a fixed term not to exceed five years. We feel that this provision is necessary in case the revised federal regulations provide that exemptions may be granted for longer periods of time. With respect to your concern, however, in accordance with Section 1416 of U.S. Public Law 93-523, we can assure you that for the interim regulations, no schedules in an exemption which may be issued or reissued by this department would be approved to extend past January 1, 1981. Further, in the case of the revised regulations, no schedules in an exemption issued or reissued by this department would be approved to extend for more than seven years after the effective date of the revised regulations, or in the case of a regional public water system, for more than nine years after their effective date. (See Part 5, Page 8 of the Proposed Rules).
- 2. We will amend the rule on Page 3 of Part 8 of the Proposed Rules entitled, "Alternative Analytical Techniques" to read as follows:
 - "Rule ____. With the written permission of the department, and upon approval by EPA, an alternative analytical technique may be employed. The use of the alternative analytical technique shall not decrease the frequency of monitoring required by Part 9."
- 3. We will incorporate in Part 6 of our Proposed Rules relating to Public Notification, language to the effect that public notices "be conspicuous and...not use unduly technical language, unduly small print or other methods which would frustrate the purpose of the notice." We wish to point out, however, that on Page 2 of Part 6 under the Rule entitled "Public Notice Upon Receipt of a Variance or Exemption; Noncommunity Supplies," there is a provision that the owners of noncommunity supplies shall



provide notice to customers and users by "conspicuous" posting of the notice in a location or locations where it can reasonably be expected to be observed by the customers or users.

I trust that the foregoing explanation and proposals satisfy your concerns with respect to our proposed rules. If you have further questions or comments, please contact me at your earliest convenience. We assume that this clarification will provide you with the ability to publish your notice in the Federal Register without the concerns expressed in your August 17 letter, and that your statement at the public hearing on the proposed rules will reflect concurrence in our approach by EPA.

Very truly yours,

William A. Kelley, P/E., Chief Division of Water Supply

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Attachment

John E. Vogt cc:

cc: Wayne H. Verspoor

cc: Thomas Larsen



WILLIAM G. MILLIKEN, Governor

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STATE OF MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

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July 7, 1977

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Mr. George R. Alexander, Administrator U. S. Environmental Protection Agency Region V 230 South Dearborn Street Chicago, Illinois 60604

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Dear Mr. Alexander:

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 1413 of United States Public Law 93-523 and Section 142.11 of 40 CFR, Part 142, the Michigan Department of Public Health hereby makes application for primary enforcement responsibility for the Public Water Supply Supervision Program in Michigan.

The State of Michigan has implemented a progressive public water supply program since 1913, and in 1976 the Michigan Legislature expanded the authority of the Department of Public Health to include jurisdiction over all public water supply systems in the state through the enactment of Act No. 399 of the Public Acts of 1976, the State "Safe Drinking Water Act." Michigan's authority over public water supplies now includes all those types of systems which are defined as "public water systems" under P.L. 93-523.

Act No. 399 also authorizes the Michigan Department of Public Health to promulgate administrative rules to implement the provisions of the act. This department is now well along with the preparation of these rules and final adoption and promulgation is expected in October or November, 1977.

Since Act No. 399, P.A. 1976 is now in effect and the administrative rules are well along toward promulgation, Michigan is in a position to assume primacy upon receipt of your determination that the state has primary enforcement responsibility. Accordingly, the attached document represents Michigan's application for primary enforcement responsibility and includes the following:

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Mr. George R. Ale Jder, Administrator Page Two July 7, 1977

- a. An opinion from the Office of the Michigan Attorney General dated June 29, 1977, and signed by Gregory Taylor, Assistant Attorney General, evaluating Michigan's current statutory authority in light of the requirements of Public Law 93-523 and applicable EPA Regulations.
- b. A discussion of Michigan's public water supply program status with regard to compliance with the 15 requirements for primacy as spelled out by 40 CFR 142.10.
- c. Michigan Act No. 399 of the Public Acts of 1976, the State "Safe Drinking Water Act."
- d. Draft administrative rules of the Michigan Department of Public Health to be promulgated under authority of Act No. 399, P.A. 1976.
- e. Michigan Act No. 294 of the Public Acts of 1965, as amended, the "Ground Water Quality Control Act," and administrative rules promulgated by the Michigan Department of Public Health under authority of that act.
- f. Act No. 390 of the Public Acts of 1976, Michigan law relative to preparation and implementation of the state emergency plan.

Since it is our opinion that the State of Michigan now has the necessary statutory and regulatory authority to receive primary enforcement responsibility, we await your favorable review of our program. We assume this will be accomplished well within the time constraints established in the act. If you have questions regarding this document or should you need additional information relating to our program, please contact Mr. John E. Vogt, P.E., Chief, Bureau of Environmental and Occupational Health of this department.

We look forward to your early consideration of our program and your determination of approval of primacy for the State of Michigan.

Sincerely,

Maurice S. Mizen, M.D.

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WILLIAM G. MILLIKEN GOVERNOR

March 12, 1975

Mr. Francis T. Mayo Regional Administrator U.S. EPA - Region V 230 South Dearborn Street Chicago, Illinois 60604

Dear Mr. Mayo:

This is in response to your letter of January 14 regarding PL 93-523, the Safe Drinking Water Act.

I am hereby designating <u>Dr. Maurice Reizen</u>, Director of the Michigan Department of Public Health, and his staff to carry out this responsibility for the State of Michigan. While the Department of Public Health will be the state's lead agency in this field, I should note that the Michigan Department of Natural Resources has responsibility over controls required for the injection of liquids into the ground. For these purposes, <u>Mr. Art Slaughter</u>, Chief of the Geological Survey Division of the Department of Natural Resources would be the appropriate contact.

Thank you for the information on this program,

Kind personal regards.

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